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E.O. 11652: GDS

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SUBJECT: AUSTRALIAN REPRESENTATION IN CAMBODIA

REF: CANBERRA 1383

1. DEPTOFF RECEIVED TELEPHONE CALL FROM AUSTRALIAN EMBASSY OFFICER MARCH 7 TO INQUIRE AS TO WHETHER EMBASSY CANBERRA HAD REPORTED EXCHANGE WITH DFA (REFTEL) CONCERNING REPLACEMENT OF AMBASSADOR JOHNSTON. DEPTOFF STATED THAT WE HAD AND WERE CURIOUS ABOUT CANBERRA'S INTENTIONS. EMBOFF INDICATED THAT THEY HAD RECEIVED A MESSAGE FROM DFA-SEA DIRECTOR GRAHAM FEAKES SUGGESTING THAT WE BE TOLD NOT TO BE OVERLY CONCERNED AND THAT ASSIGNMENT OF A NEW CHIEF OF MISSION WAS A SITUATION ANALAGOUS TO OUR RATHER TARDY REPLACEMENT OF AMBASSADOR SWANK. OUR INTERLOCUTOR INDICATED THAT THE AUSTRALIAN DCM IN SAIGON WOULD BE GOING TO PHNOM PENH TO HOLD THE FORT FOR THE INTERIM SINCE THE
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CURRENT DCM IN PHNOM PENH WAS ALSO DUE OUT.

2. DEPTOFF SAID HE WAS GRATEFUL FOR THE INFORMATION AND
TOOK THE OCCASION TO PASS HIM THE TEXT OF THE UNCLASSIFIED
DIA INTELL NOTE ON THE CURRENT SITUATION IN CAMBODIA. WE
NOTED THAT WE HAD ALREADY TRANSMITTED IT TO CANBERRA. KISSINGER

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